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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.112 AND INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Official Action of February 20, 2007, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on May 21, 2007 (May 20, 2007 being a Sunday), and which has been extended, by the herein enclosed Request for Extension of Time, to expire on July 20, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of each of the outstanding rejections in view of the herein contained amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this Response.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this Response.